

**Table 2.07-- BIRTH AND FERTILITY RATES FOR THE UNITED STATES
AND HAWAII: 1998**

[Excludes births to nonresidents of the United States]

Type of rate	United States	Hawaii	Rank of Hawaii 1/
Births per 1,000 population	14.6	14.7	2/ 16
Fertility rate 3/	65.6	69.6	9

1/ Among 50 States and D.C., highest rate ranking 1.

2/ Tied with the District of Columbia.

3/ Births per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, *Statistical Abstract of the United States: 2000*, p. 67.